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Brandy,	Jams and Jellies,	Rum,
Cupers,	Ketchup,	Sauce,
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CITY POUND NOTICE.

ONE BAY HORSE, WITH A BOB TAIL and Split Ears, one Mare, with black body, grey tail and white face; and one White Goat, will be sold by Public Auction, at the City Pound, Spring Ridge, on Saturday, the 26th inst. at noon, unless sooner redeemed and pound charges paid thereon.

CITY HALL, JAS. D. ROBINSON,
17th Feb., 1887. fe18 C. M. C.

Municipal Notice.

Hackmen, Expressmen and Draymen are hereby notified to obtain their Licenses at the City Hall forthwith, or they will be proceeded against under the Bylaw.

JAS. D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 5th Feb., 1887. fe6

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF DANIEL McDONALD, late of Victoria, B. C., and Seattle, King Co., Washington Territory, U. S. A., deceased, intestate.

The Creditors (if any) of the above named Daniel McDonald, deceased, who died at Seattle aforesaid, on or about the 8th day of October, A. D. 1885, and all others having claims against his estate, are hereby notified to send by post, prepaid, and registered, or otherwise deliver to the undersigned administrator of the estate and effects of the said deceased, in the Province of British Columbia, on or before the 23rd day of March next, their Christian names, surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the Securities, if any, held by them. And in default thereof and immediately after the said 23rd day of March next, the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which notice shall have been given and received as above required.

Dated Victoria, B. C., Feb. 22nd, 1887.
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E. M. JOHNSON, Administrator.
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Victoria, B. C., Feb. 12th, 1887. fe12

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fe1 ALEX. WILSON, Secretary.

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ADMISSION, - - 25 CENTS.

The first Lecture will be on TUESDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 22nd, at 8 p.m., on

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For the Benefit of a widow with seven young children. ADMISSION, $1.00.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. fe12-td

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HOWARD F. GIBBS.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. W. Williams, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO OR HAVing any claims against this Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness and send particulars of their claims to the Executor, Mr. Wm. Wilson (Clothier), Victoria.

Dated 23rd February, 1887.

S. PERRY MILLS,
fo24 Solicitor for Executor.

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W. R. CLARKE,
fe22 Auctioneer.

LOST.

ON SATURDAY EVENING ALONG JOHNson or Government Streets, a black enamel Bracelet, with gold band around centre. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the bracelet at this office. fe23-1t

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to 12 o'clock, at noon, of MARCH 8th, 1887, for the erection of a two storey brick block of three stores at Port Townsend, W. T.

The right is reserved to reject any or all Tenders. E. H. FISHER,
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ELECTION NEWS.

Conservatives Have a Majority of Thirty.

The Toronto "Globe" Concedes a Majority.

"Mail" and "News" Look For Another Election Within a Year.

All the Ministers Returned—Defeat of the Champion Slanderer—Latest Returns—Jones Elected for Halifax.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—Latest returns give the government twenty-nine majority, counting all ten nationalists as reformers and reckoning British Columbia and Northwest Territories ministerial. Ten places are yet to hear from which will probably prove equal.

All the ministers are elected, a rare occurrence.

The conservatives are jubilant at the defeat of M. C. Cameron, the champion slanderer.

Sir Charles Tupper's tremendous effort retained Nova Scotia to the government.

10:10 p. m.—Latest returns are: Montcalm, Therier, conservative, 60 majority. Queen's, N. B., King, liberal, 61 majority; Jolliette, Guilbault, conservative, 6 majority.

Corrected returns places Jones instead of Stairs for Halifax—a liberal gain.

Charlotte retains Gillmor.

It is generally admitted here that the government's majority will be about thirty.

The Toronto *Globe* concedes a working majority for the government. The *Mail* and *News* each look for another election within twelve months.

CABLE NEWS.

London Stocks Firm.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—Stock markets are very firm, on the result of the German elections.

Terrible Earthquake at Nice.

2:30 p.m.—A dispatch from Nice, dated noon to-day, says: "Many casualties were caused by an earthquake here this morning. People are panic stricken, and the entire populace are in the streets. The railway station is besieged with visitors who are anxious to leave at the first chance that offers. Two houses, one in Steelenne street and one in St. Phillipps street and Mason Bourse, were destroyed by earthquake. Three persons are buried in the ruins of these buildings.

French Press on Alsace-Lorraine Elections.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Newspapers of this city are turbulent over the result of the elections in Alsace-Lorraine. They say Germany has not been able to obtain the hearts of the inhabitants of the annexed provinces.

An Opinion Corrected.

BERLIN, Feb. 23.—The *National Zeitung*, commenting on the elections, says: Foreigners will now see how mistaken they were in regarding the vote on the army bill in the Reichstag last January, as expressing German public opinion.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Advices from Zanzibar state that Portuguese men-of-war, by order of the governor of Mozambique, have seized the Sultan's steamer Kilva at Tonqui and towed her to Mozambique.

The results in seventy election districts at Berlin are known. In twenty-two districts new elections will be necessary. In twelve districts the contests will be between the Socialists and Septennists.

From present calculations, Bismarck will barely obtain a majority for his Septennate bill. He required forty votes and he has already won twenty. The remainder are almost certain to go, so that the government will not obtain a majority sufficient to adopt the monopoly bills.

Herr Windthorst has been re-elected. The Progressists are demoralized. They have met with unexpected defeat, and have already lost seventeen seats. They have only gained one seat. The Socialists have lost seven and gained three. The total Socialist votes show an increase of five hundred thousand. The National liberals have gained nearly as many seats as they have lost.

The Socialists have carried the first and second divisions of Hamburg and Altona and Nuremberg. They have lost Glauchen, Brunswick, Chimneitz, Schneiberg and Zurich.

A despatch from Berlin says:—At this hour the results are known. The candidates elected include 17 conservatives, 5 imperialists, 43 national liberals, 14 centrists, 4 new German liberals, 6 socialists, and 14 Poles, and for the balance, in 30 districts, new elections will be required. So far, 103 candidates have been definitely elected comprising 66 septennists and 37 opponents of the government.

8 p.m.—The results in 200 election districts are now known. The candidates elected comprise 29 conservatives, 14 imperialists, 25 centrists, 67 national liberals, 4 new German liberals, 6 socialists, 15 Alsatians and 4 Poles. New elections will be necessary in 39 districts. The national liberals will probably elect 90 members. All the democrats have been defeated in Southern Germany. A reliable government majority is assured.

The supplementary elections will be held on March 3rd. Herr Bennings, on, the national liberal leader, is elected.

Prohibition and Politics.

The anti-liquor question is a strong plank in the political platform, and one safe to lay hold of. All intoxicating beverages are safest when let alone, even in medicine. Burdock Blood Bitters is not a bar beverage, but a strictly pure medicine, reliable for diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys and blood, and will not aid in making drunkards.

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THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings of the First Session of the Fifth Parliament.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 23rd.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:20 p.m.

Prayers were read by Rev. W. W. Percival.

Hon. Mr. Robson brought returns asked for at previous sittings.

PRINTING.

Mr. Beaven complained the printing department was constantly increasing in expense and decreasing in efficiency.

Hon. Mr. Robson, in replying to the attack of the leader of the opposition upon the printing department, said the honorable gentleman should remember that the work of the department had doubled since he was in office.

THE ALASKA BOUNDARY.

Mr. Turner moved that a respectful address be presented to his honor the lieutenant-governor, requesting that his honor may be pleased to represent to the Dominion government the urgent importance of an early settlement of the boundary between Canada and Alaska, and asking that British Columbia may be represented upon any commission which may be appointed for that purpose.

The mover said every gentleman on the floor of the house must see the necessity for this delinention in view of the constantly increasing population of that part of the country. The hardy miner was already turning his eyes to the north, and very soon, he believed, we would see this indomitable class pursuing their calling in these parts. The fisheries in the north are very valuable. By a recent return he saw that 109,000 cases of salmon had been shipped from Alaska last year, one cannery having packed 46,000 cases. The lumber resources were also of great extent, and in view of these facts it would be seen that it was of the utmost importance that we should know where Alaska begins and where British Columbia leaves off. This was of little importance twenty years ago, but even shortly after that our smart Yankee cousins were turning their eyes longingly towards the land, and evidently determined to get all they wore entitled to and with a lurking idea they would get a great deal more than they were entitled to if they could cajole or bluff John Bull, as they have done on all previous boundary questions. It is evident that this condition of things must be detrimental to trade and commerce, and urgently requires settlement. We fortunately have an authority which we believe definitely settles the point. It is the convention between Russia and Great Britain in 1825. We have, however, compilers who profess to give the text of the convention, the text being McCulloch's commercial dictionary, published in Philadelphia, in 1852. This gives the text of the convention signed by Nesselrode and Canning. This indicates the line as starting from the southern point of Prince of Wales Island, in latitude 54.40 north, running northerly up the channel to where it strikes the 56 deg. of north latitude; thence along the summit of mountains till it intersects 141 deg. of west longitude. Other authorities add words not in McCulloch's work, and give the line as running northerly from Prince of Wales Island up Portland channel. Now, on reference to the map this line will be found important, as Portland channel is thirty miles to the eastward of Prince of Wales Island. Another authority says eastward to Portland channel, thence north up the channel to the 56th degree north latitude. But the Portland channel does not reach to 56 degs. north latitude. The head of Portland channel is swampy land, and is some sixty miles from the coast. It would be necessary to run a line due west from that point, crossing a range of mountains, in order to reach the mountains that are within 10 degrees of the coast. These authorities do not therefore agree with natural objects, and no doubt a geographical line laid down overrules any line simply by name of the surrounding country. He urged the duty of an early settlement, and said we must not back down quietly. If British Columbia had been represented when San Juan was ceded to the United States we would not have lost that valuable island. The ownership of 5 million acres was involved in this question. On concluding he was loudly applauded.

Mr. Ladner moved in amendment that, at the same time, steps be taken to endeavor to secure the transfer of four square miles of territory belonging to the United States, situated near the mouth of Fraser river and which can be only reached through British territory.

It having been pointed out that the amendment would interfere with the resolution the introducer withdrew it.

Hon. Mr. Robson said from the manner in which the hon. gentleman had introduced this important resolution it was clear that he had well considered this question and appreciated the important interests involved in it. The question was one of the most important to which the government of British Columbia could turn its attention. The fact that three or four hundred miles of American territory ran along the sea coast cutting off our outlet to the ocean from that part of British Columbia was something which did not reflect much credit on British statesmanship. It was indeed the most stupid looking thing he had ever seen on a map. It was particularly important that this question should be settled at this time when large numbers of Newfoundland fishermen were knocking at our doors seeking to come in and develope our sea farm.

Mr. Grant claimed that he had frequently called the attention of the house to this question at previous sessions.

Resolution passed.

ASHCROFT BRIDGE.

Mr. Semlin moved, seconded by Mr. McLeese, that an order of the house be granted for copies of the following papers, etc: Specifications for the construction of the Ashcroft bridge, contract to correspondence between the government or any member thereof and the following parties, namely: The bridge company, the provincial superintendent of construction, or any other person relating to the construction of said bridge.

The movers, Mr. McLeese and Mr. Semlin stated that the bridge was unsafe.

Hon. Mr. Robson said the cement around two of the piers had been found to be imperfect, but this having been remedied and the foundation improved he thought there would be as good a bridge as could be desired.

Mr. Beaven said this was all owing to a system inaugurated by the present government of allowing contractors to prepare and submit their own plans and specifications with their tender.

Mr. McLeese said it was the general opinion that the contractor had had too much of his own way. The work had been done in such a manner that no one could help protesting against it.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

Resolution passed.

Mr. Croft introduced a bill to amend the "Bush fire act, 1874."

Bill read a first time.

Mr. T. Davie introduced a bill intituled "An act to abolish the attachment of wages."

Bill read a first time.

Hon. Mr. Davie introduced "An act to amend the jurors' act, 1883.

Bill read a first time.

PROVINCIAL RIGHTS.

The petition of the Okanagan & Shuswap railway company, asking the legislature to confirm privileges already granted by the Dominion parliament and for the right to operate steamboats, was read.

Mr. Beaven said this house was the proper place for a company to come to ask the privilege of constructing a line of railway, or telephone, or telegraph lines. The Dominion government were granting charters for railways within the province which he did not believe they had power to do.

Mr. Orr—The house should take some steps to have the powers of the province defined.

Hon. Mr. Davie said the proposed railway was doubtless regarded as a branch of the Canadian Pacific, and, therefore, a matter for the Dominion government to deal with.

Mr. T. Davie claimed that the petition was out of order. He pointed out the danger of such an interference with provincial rights.

Mr. McLeese would stand up for provincial rights, and would not admit the right of the Dominion to grant charters for railways in the province. If this principle were admitted, the federal government could expropriate lands for railway purposes in any part of the province.

Mr. Grant believed the terms of union, and the provisions of the British-America act gave us power over our own lands and the right to refuse to ratify railway charters granted by the Dominion government.

Mr. Speaker said the company came before the house to ask it to confirm a charter which they have obtained from the Dominion government, so that practically they were admitting the insufficiency of the privilege granted them by the Dominion government. If the company had come to this house the bill would probably have been over-ruled. The petition, he believed, was in order.

Hon. Mr. Robson said the house should not sanction a right wrongly acquired.

Mr. Bole moved the adjournment of the debate. In doing so, he considered that it was of vital importance that the question should be settled upon a firm basis. Adjournment carried.

The house adjourned at 5.15 till Thursday.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Mr. Bole will introduce a bill entitled "An Act to Amend the Law of Evidence in certain cases.

Mr. Bole will ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the law relating to the recovery of wages.

Mr. Bole will ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the law relating to the heirs of mechanics and others.

Mr. Bole will ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the license ordnance of 1867.

Mr. Ladner will move—Whereas that piece of land situated south of the 49th parallel of north latitude and known as Point Roberts, containing about four square miles of territory is so isolated from the territory of the United States that the only means of communication by land is through British Columbia, and whereas during the summer great numbers of Indians and others congregate on this piece of land and cause great annoyance to the settlers in the vicinity of Fraser river, B. C., Therefore, be it resolved, that his honor the lieutenant-governor be respectfully invited to have the adjustment of this matter placed before any commission that may be appointed to enquire into and settle the Alaska boundary with a view of acquiring the aforesaid Point Roberts.

Mr. Vernon will ask leave to introduce a bill entitled "An Act for the Better Protection of Certain Animals and Birds."

Mr. Beaven will ask leave to introduce an act to amend the Companies Act, 1878, so as to prevent Chinese from incorporating under its provisions, to prohibit their employment by an idecorporated company and for other purposes.

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

Mr. Ladner will ask—What amount, if any, is now due to the estate of the late J. C. Hughes as coroner for New Westminster district?

Mr. Ladner will ask—Has any crown grant been applied for by the late J. C. Hughes, or his administrators, for the S. W. ¼ of section 16, Texada island? If so what amount of money has been paid as purchase money?

MARRIAGE OF SIR JOHN ROSE.

The marriage of Sir John Rose, Bart., with Julia, Marchioness of Tweeddale, was celebrated yesterday in the Chapel Royal, Savoy. The Rev. Henry White, chaplain to the Queen, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Henry Venn, vicar of Sittingbourne. There were present only the immediate relatives of the bride and bridegroom, including Elizabeth Duchess of Wellington, the Marquis and Marchioness of Tweeddale, Lord and Lady John Hay, Louisa Lady Ashburton, the Rt. Hon. Sir Robert, Lady Emily and Miss Peel, Colonel and Mrs. Stanley Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Jeane, Sir Richard and Lady Jane Taylor and Miss Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Sloane Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rose, the Earl and Countess of Cathcart, the Misses Wardlaw Ramsay, Mrs. Venn, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Sir Charles Brownlow, Capt. and Lady Cecilia Rose, Mrs. Clayton, and Mr. Hope Vere. Early in the afternoon the newly married couple left London for Melchet court, Lady Ashburton's seat in Hampshire. — *London Morning Post.*

High Living.

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DONALD NOTES.

A Budget of News from the Mountain Town

(From an Occasional Correspondent.)

DONALD, 18th Feb.

On the 9th inst. the weather was very cold, the thermometer reaching 47° below zero, which lasted for some little time. The snow on the level is about three feet deep. At present the weather is delightful, about 6 or 7 degrees of frost during the day, which is bright and sunshiny, and about zero at night. The atmosphere is clear and the view presented by the surrounding mountains, especially at sunrise and sunset, is in its loveliness more akin to dreamland than to real life. Business, notwithstanding the cold weather, has been brisk and all the traders have done well and are doing so.

Large quantities of ice are being put up by the C. P. R. company and others, taken from the Columbia river in blocks 20 inches square of as fine ice as it is possible to see—clear, pure and solid. What with hauling ice and cordwood, a great deal of the latter being consumed to keep up the circulation, etc., the place looks quite lively, several teams being constantly at work, passing to and fro to the music of tinkling bells, cracking whips and the hearty "gee whoas" of the drivers.

The health of all the people in this vicinity has been remarkably good, the only sufferers, few in number, being the victims of accidents.

A masonic lodge has been duly established and put in working order during the winter, and is now "running" to the satisfaction of the local fraternity.

Active steps are being taken by the Rev. Mr. Horlock, vicar of Kamloops, and the Rev. Mr. Irving, for the purpose of building a church here, subscriptions sufficient to meet the expense having already been received. Mr. Irving officiates every Sunday in the court house to a very respectable congregation, but as Donald is increasing in importance, and in the summer the population will have been very much added to, it is felt that a church is in every way desirable.

The many children here—or their parents—are still crying out for a school. One is to be opened here, I understand, by the government some time during the spring or early summer.

The trains still continue to be delayed east of the Rockies, but so far no delays to speak of have occurred in the much dreaded Selkirks. A slide did come down some time ago and covered up two engines and some men in a work train. In a few hours, however, all were dug out uninjured, save as far as being badly scared went in the case of the men who were embraced and nearly smothered in the arms of the "beautiful." They were under a bank removing the snow from a slide when another came down and covered up the engines. Everything that could be done by the employes of the C. P. R. to keep the road open and safe has been done during the winter. Supt. H. Abbott is now located at Rogers Pass station for a few days admiring the scenery and looking out for snow avalanches. Vice-President Van Horne is expected in about a week, and will inspect the road as far as the coast.

There have been a great many dances and social gatherings amongst the inhabitants, and it is generally conceded that the winter at Donald was not so bad after all. Two balls have been given during the past week.

There was no trouble during the frozen period to amount to anything. Some little irregularities occurred but they were straightened out by our worthy local J. P's.

Mr. Vowell, gold commissioner and stipendiary magistrate, arrived on the 9th inst., just in time to dispose of a few cases, police and civil, and though officially his presence was not particularly needed during the winter, yet it is a comfort to many to know that he is again in their midst, as they feel safer when he is present.

A man named Fred Booth broke his arm on the 17th inst. while squaring out at a friend in fun. He sustained a simple fracture.

A quartz mine east of Donold has been bonded for a large sum to an English syndicate, and it is confidently expectad that next summer will see several of the rich mines in this neighborhood taken hold of and developed by capitalists.

AGAINST SWINEFORD.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Every senator and representative has received a printed petition, dated at Juneau, Alaska, but mailed at Portland, U.S. The petition recites that last February, at Juneau, Governor Swineford delivered a speech declaring that Chinamen competing with white men were a nuisance; that it was not only a right but the duty of the people to abolish such nuisance in Alaska; that he could not head such a movement, being governor, but that it would be justifiable for them to act. The anti-Chinese outbreak followed as a consequence. The petition further states that since the governor's advent into the territory he has continued to outrage the rights of the people by misrepresentations to the general government. For these, and other reasons set forth, the petitioners ask for Governor Swineford's removal from office. There are fifty names to the petition. Enclosed in this letter is what purports to be an affidavit from B. K. Cowles, who, it appears, was appointed by Swineford a commissioner to represent Alaska at the New Orleans exposition. Cowles charges Swineford with applying public moneys to his private use. The affidavit is too strong and sweeping even to epitomize without further evidence. Its receipt has caused much comment among congressman.

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The Colonist.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1887.

THE VICTORY.

The announcement of the return of Sir John Macdonald's government to power was received in this city with every demonstration of delight. Faces brightened and handshakes were exchanged when friend met friend and congratulated each other upon the accession of the liberal-conservative administration to the reins of government. During the day the liberals, in order to boom their evening meeting, published telegrams announcing a grit majority of five, bbt an extra issue of THE COLONIST, containing authentic news from Ottawa of the success of the government, took the ground from under their feet and sent everybody home happy. As will be seen by our latest dispatch in another column the government have a majority of thirty, the Toronto *Globe*, the ultra-Grit organ, conceding Sir John a good working majority. So the question may be considered settled as to whether Sir John A. Macdonald is to rule over the destinies of the Dominion for the next five years or Edward Blake. The duty of this city is now to return two good men and true who can be faithfully relied upon to lend Sir John an undivided support. One does not need to go very far to make a choice. Messrs. Baker and Shakespeare have from the first announced themselves as out and out supporters of Sir John and have had the courage of their convictions. They have not hedged, they have not trimmed, like some of the candidates, but have placed themselves before the electors on the square issue of liberal-conservatism or reform. Electors of Victoria, stand firm, close in the ranks and send to Ottawa the two representatives who are in the confidence of Sir John Macdonald and worthy of your suffrages. Every elector who believes in Sir John Macdonald and good government should take an especial pride in lending all the weight of his influence in favor of Victoria's old, tried and true representatives.

THE GRIT MEETING.

The Victoria was well filled last night to hear the Grit-Radical speakers. The admirers of the "Serene Edward" were in a large minority, the audience apparently being almost a unit for Sir John Macdonald. Most of those present went to see the circus, and were entertained by a first-class company of comic artists. Capt. McCallum, the candidate, led off, and in his own peculiar style told what he knew about "boodlers." His speech was a rehash of the *Globe's* articles for the last few months, and had been well rehearsed, but as a display of logic it was a miserable failure. Knowing the true inwardness of his organ's telegrams he probably felt sad—he looked so. McNab Stuart made a name for himself during the local campaign—an inglorious one—and succeeded in his usual clever way in doing irreparable injury by his coarse and vituperative language to the Lost Cause. Mr. MacLagan of the *Times* essayed to speak and told what he knew about "boodle." He hardly went far enough. The term is not familar here; it is said, however, to be the pass word of the Ontario grits. He undoubtedly knows all about it. After delivering a long dissertation on eastern politics in which a mass of matter was mixed up in inextricable confusion he took his seat amid repeated calls of "time." Several of the other speakers acquitted themselves very nicely. Mr. E. Bodwell in particular made an excellent impression. Mr. McClymont's advanced radical views are just a little too extreme for a Victoria audience to swallow, while Mr. Stenhouse, following in the wake of Sir Charles Dilke, was a study. The meeting was good fun and nobody would have begrudged the usual grit fee of "two bits" for admittance. But the question naturally arises, what was it all about? It is conceded that Captain McCallum does not stand the ghost of a show of election. The solution to the question may be that the expounders of Liberal-Radicalism, as Tom Humphreys would say, wanted to hear themselves spout. Having succeeded in attaining the height of their ambition, we presume they will retire into their shells and cease to inflict themselves in future upon a patient and long-suffering public.

OUR NEW LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

The announcement of the nomination of Senator Nelson to the lieutenant-governorship of the province was made public in this city yesterday. The government is to be congratulated on the appointment. Senator Nelson's is an honored name in this province and his friends are legion. He richly deserves the honors cast upon him. Hon. Hugh Nelson was born on the 25th May, 1830, in the town of Lurne, County Antrim, Ireland, and was educated there. On the 12th of December, 1879, he was made a senator and has since that time adorned the Upper House by his fine social and personal qualties. An unflinching liberal-conservative, the weight of his influence has always been found on the side of the government of Sir John A. Macdonald and he is now reaping the reward of a consistent career. In common with his many friends throughout the province we tender him our sincerest congratulations on this latest mark of favor, and trust that his incumbency of Carey Castle will be pleasant and profitable. He is fortunate in having as the dispenser of the hospitalities of Government house a lady who adds to her fine qualities of head and heart, social characteristics of a high nature. Under the pleasant rule of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nelson we may confidently look for much of the old time geniality which was always characteristic of the gubernatorial residence. While the senate will lose a justly popular member the province will gain a genial and wise administrator.

THE FISHERY QUESTION.

A Washington dispatch says that the fishery question still continues to trouble American politicians, and the solution of the problem is anxiously awaited. In the face of all the bluster and buncombe about a war with Canada or with England, one man in the American congress has had the courage of his convictions, and to-day introduced a measure in the house which will command the serious attention of congress. When the roll of states was called for the introduction of bills, Mr. Benjamin Butterworth, of Ohio, rose and presented the following measure. The text is given in full:

A bill to provide for reciprocity between the United States and Canada.

"*Whereas*, controversies have arisen and are now existing between the government of the United States and the government of the Dominion of Canada, growing out of the construction of treaties affecting the fishing interests: and whereas by reason of the contiguity of the two countries and the similarity of the interests and the occupations of the people thereof, it is desired by the United States to remove all existing controversies and all cause of controversies in the future, and to promote and encourage business and commercial intercourse between the people of both countries, and to promote harmony between the two governments, and to enable the citizens of each to trade with the citizens of the other without restriction and irrespective of boundaries, as fully and freely as if there was no boundary line between the two countries.

Now, therefore, be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled:—

"Section 1. That, whenever and as soon as the government of the said Dominion of Canada shall by act of her parliament permit all articles of trade and commerce of whatever name or nature, whether products of the soil or of the waters of the United States, or manufactured articles, live stock of all kinds and its products, or minerals and coal and products of the mines of the United States to enter the ports of the said Dominion of Canada free of duty, then all articles manufactured in Canada and all products of the soil and waters and all minerals and coal products of the mines of said Dominion of Canada, and all other articles of every name and description produced in the said Dominion of Canada, shall be permitted to enter the ports of the United States free of duty; it being the intention of this act to provide for absolute reciprocity of trade between the two countries as to all articles of whatsoever name or nature grown or produced in the said countries.

"Section 2. That when it shall be certified to the president of the United States by the proper officials of the government of the said Dominion of Canada, that the said last named government by act of parliament has authorized the admission into the ports of said government of all articles of trade and commerce produced in the United States free of duty, the president shall make proclamation thereof, and shall likewise proclaim that all articles produced in the said Dominion of Canada shall be admitted into all ports of the United States free of duty, and such articles shall be so admitted into the ports of the United States free of duty so long as the said Dominion of Canada shall admit the products of the United States, as herein provided for, into her ports free of duty.

"Section 3. The secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized with the approval of the president of the United States, in connection with the proper officials of the government of said Dominion of Canada, to make rules and regulations for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act and to protect the said respective governments against the importation of foreign goods through either into the other; and the secretary of the treasury of the United States shall furnish to the customs officers of the United States such rules and regulations for the purpose of guiding them in the discharge of their duties in respect to the protection of each of said governments against improper importations of foreign goods as herein contemplated."

The bill was referred to the ways and means committee. Mr. Butterworth, who is one of the leaders of the republican party, and counted amongst the ablest of their men, has given great attention to this subject, and has prepared an exhaustive speech which he will deliver at the first opportunity. He is an influential member of the committee on appropriations, and was formerly commissioner of patents during the administration of President Arthur.

IT IS generally stated that Mrs. Cleveland allows no liquors of any kind to be used in the pies and puddings at the White House. At least one province of the Dominion of Canada can show a similar record, that of New Brunswick, where Sir Leonard Tilley and his popular wife dispense gracefully the hospitalities of Government House without the presence of intoxicating liquors.

THE London *Standard* seldom has anything good to say about Canada. When its writers desire to say anything particularly nasty they copy from the Toronto *Globe*. The *Standard* lately copied from the Toronto journal the following: "The farmers of Ontario, are passing through the greatest depression ever known in the annals of our country, which is keenly felt by all engaged in agricultural pursuits." It is impossible to find much fault with the English paper for merely reproducing the untrue and malicious things said in the Canadian paper.

RUSSIA is a country after Sir Richard Cartwright's own heart. The deficit this year will be 85,000,000 roubles. The ordinary revenue will fail to meet the ordinary expenditure by 36,500,000 roubles, and there will be extraordinary expenditures to the extent of 48,500,000 roubles more. Extraordinary measures will be taken to raise revenue; but it is expected that 42,500,000 roubles must be borrowed. A country in such a financial condition is hardly, one would think, prepared for a long and costly war.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Capt. McCallum made a nice exhibition of himself last night. He does not seem to have taken advantage of the time at his disposal since he last spoke in order to learn something of Canadian politics. His speech, it may be termed a "speech" we suppose, bristled with inaccuracies and stale nonsense. Before the gallant captain deals with "Boodlers" he ought to read the history of Mr. Mackenzie's *regime* with which he is probably entirely unfamiliar. Some cold facts would in that event stare him in the face and give him good cause for reflection. He would then know what "Boodle" meant.

Last night's meeting was three-fourths conservative. The applause, such as it was, came from a few young men whose faces were unfamiliar and who have no votes. They evidently had studied their parts well. The major portion of the audience was in a good humored vein, and cheered Willis Bond to the echo when he refuted some of Stuart's silly commonplaces. Mr. McCallum is unfortunate in the company he keeps. Even "a stone man" would be preferable, since he would at least keep a silent tongue.

Mr. McNab Stuart evidently forgot last night that he was speaking to an intelligent audience. So accustomed has he been to "barn-storming" in the east that he seems unable to get out of the old ruts. Some of his remarks were coarse in the extreme and savored strongly of that Radicalism of which he professes to be a disciple. Such utterances may take excellently in the backwoods but are just a little too rough to be uttered in a civilized community. Even the *Times* will not soil its pages with some of his minstrel "chestnuts." He deserved the hisses his disgusting story received.

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DOMINION ELECTIONS.

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria for the House of Commons:

Victoria, Feb. 14th, 1887.

Gentlemen,—Having been unavoidably delayed in my canvass of voters, and with a view to add to the strength of the Government party, I beg to withdraw from the coming election.

Thanking those gentlemen who had already promised me their support,

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
EDW'D MALLANDAINE.
feb15-10t

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria:

Gentlemen,—I beg to announce myself as a candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons, and solicit your support.

W. A. ROBERTSON.
jan18

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria for the House of Commons:

Gentlemen,—I beg respectfully to announce self a candidate for re-election to the House of Commons, as a supporter of the Liberal Conservative party.

NOAH SHAKSPEARE.
Jan. 15th, 1887.
jan18

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria for the House of Commons:

Gentlemen,—I beg respectfully to announce that I am a Candidate for re-election as one of your representatives in the Ottawa Parliament, and a supporter of Sir John A. Macdonald.

E. CROW BAKER.
24th Jan., 1887.
jan25

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria:

Gentlemen,—I again offer myself as a candidate for your suffrages at the coming Election, as a Conservative, but not as a slave to any party. My platform will be: (1) The well-being of Victoria and District, which has been entirely overlooked. (2) Vancouver Island and its varied interests. (3) British Columbia in general. (4) The Dominion and its people. As Mayor of the city, I feel it will enable me to bring before the Dominion Government those varied interests with greater force and effect.

Yours, &c.,
JAMES FELL.
Victoria, Jan. 19.

To the Electors of Vancouver Island District:

Gentlemen,—Having been requested by a large number of Electors to allow my name to be placed in nomination as Liberal Conservative Candidate for the House of Commons for your large and important District, I respectfully announce myself as a Candidate for the favor of your support at the coming election.

I will be pleased to hold public meetings wherever possible as soon as dates can be arranged.

Yours faithfully,
J. P. PLANTA.
Nanaimo, V. I., Jan. 24th, 1887.
jan25-dw

To the Electors of Vancouver Island District for the House of Commons:

Gentlemen,—I beg to announce myself as a candidate at the ensuing Dominion Election for the representation of your important district in the Parliament of Canada.

I again solicit your confidence as a firm supporter of the Liberal Conservative party, whose wise policy has raised the Dominion of Canada to her present exalted position.

I will hold public meetings wherever I find it possible to do so, of which due notice will be given and at which I will give an account of my stewardship during the four years that I have had the honor of representing you in the House of Commons.

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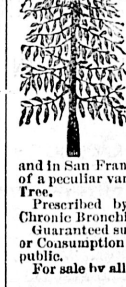
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LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

ONTARIO.

It is believed in official circles that a mixed commission, similar to the one which sat at Halifax in 1872, will be agreed upon for the settlement of the fishery question.

Carling & Co., of London, have received an order by cable from Messrs. Hutchins & Co., Hongkong, China, for a cargo of ale to be shipped *via* Canadian Pacific railway.

R. Osborne, boot store, London, levanted, leaving several creditors behind after selling his store for $6,000 cash.

The vestry of St. James cathedral, Toronto, met lately and discussed the situation of the now celebrated case of Langtry *vs.* Dumoulin. It was decided to petition Her Majesty's privy council for leave to appeal against the judgment of the supreme court. Rev. Canon Dumoulin, rector, protested against this course, and said he washed his hands of the whole affair.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Temple, conservative candidate for York, N. B., was committed for trial on the charge of personal bribery. He gave bail. He is charged with endeavoring to induce the city tax collector to force delinquent taxpayers to vote for him; also the actual purchase of votes.

QUEBEC.

W. H. Scroggie's dry goods store, at Montreal, was damaged by fire to the extent of $8,000 to-day. Insured.

The purchasing agent of the Canadian Pacific has started to arrange for the annual supply of coal required by the company. The trip is taken early owing to falling off in coal delivered through the strikes in Pennsylvania.

The seed-testing department of the Central Experimental farm is now ready for work. The first bulletin, containing necessary instructions, has been issued.

Articles have been signed at Ottawa for a six-round fight between Harry Gilmore and Billy Hawkins, to take place within a week. The contest is likely to be private.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

The government will grant a site of land at Morley, N.W.T., to the MacDougall orphanage for the establishment of an industrial farm for the education of Indian children in farming and other useful employment.

Robertson, superintendent of Presbyterian missions for the northwest, collected $1,600 here for the mission fund, and hopes considerably to augment this sum by an appeal to the churches throughout Ontario.

PRETTY BLUE.

A Sad State of Affairs Reported from Newfoundland—A Financial Crisis Approaching—Destitution Among the Fishermen.

HALIFAX, Feb. 12.—News received here from St. John's Nfld., says that many prominent houses there are in financial difficulties and a financial crisis is inevitable. The latest advices from the northern district report much destitution, the supplies of flour and other necessaries of life furnished by the government being totally inadequate to relieve the existing distress, and it is feared that before further relief reaches the outlying districts, there will be terrible suffering from destitution and starvation. Through heavy expenditure for pauper relief the colonial treasury is now depleted. Newfoundland presents a mournful spectacle and is today the most miserable of all England's colonial possessions. Thousands of fishermen are casting longing eyes toward the codfisheries of British Columbia, and are awaiting reports of pioneer parties who have gone there. The telegram says if these reports are favorable, at least one thousand fishermen will emigrate in the spring. The Newfoundland papers, in discussing the disallowance of the bait bill, point out that Canada's bait bill and other stringent legislation will be useless if the Americans can get all the bait, etc., they want from Newfoundland, without let or hindrance.

CLAUS SPRECKELS.

Thinks Trade Will Go from San Francisco to British Columbia.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The *Call's* Washington special says Claus Spreckels arrived here yesterday. Mr Spreckels is very much interested in securing an allowance for the mail service of ships owned by him and engaged in the Australia and New Zealand trade. These vessels are granted a subsidy by the Colonial governments, and there is every indication that the British government will offer to give a bounty to ships sailing from Victoria. In that event Mr. Speckels thinks the trade will go from San Francisco to British Columbia. He informed the president of the situation; but he has no hope that congress will take any action on the subject at its present session.

THREE FAST CUNARDERS

To Ply Between British Columbia and China—The Transfer Completed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Private advices received in this city state that the Canadian Pacific railway has completed arrangements with the Cunard Steamship company to transfer three of its fast steamers to the Pacific Ocean. The steamers will ply between British Columbia, Yokohama and Hongkong. In order to obtain a share of the Shanghai tea shipments, the Indo-Chinese Steamship company, a British concern, will co-operate with the Canadian Pacific railway company's vessels, and will meet the big Cunarders at Yokohama and transfer their cargoes. It is expected that the Cunard steamers Bothnia, Gallia and Scythia will leave England *via* the Suez canal about April 1st, their destination being Hongkong; so that they will reach China in time to load the new tea crop.

SOLD AT AUCTION.

How a Stately Lady Disposed of Her Wardrobe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The *World* says: In room 118 of the Victoria Hotel yesterday was displayed the elaborate and extensive wardrobe of a lady who had advertised her gowns for sale because of going in mourning. Two neat and natty French maids were in attendance, and luxurious robes were spread about the chairs and tables. At 5 o'clock there were still a number unsold. This is an uncommon proceeding in New York society, but it has had one or two precedents, a wardrobe just from Paris having been disposed of at the same hotel last year. Mrs. James Brown-Potter disposed of her tea gowns before leaving for Europe, in that fashion, but a formal sale and public advertisement is very uncommon.

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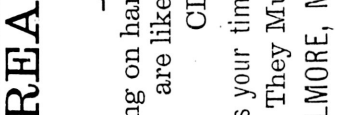
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WING KEE has ceased to act as Manager of the firm of Hip Lung & Co., and the said firm will not be responsible for any debts contracted or acts done by the said Wing Kee henceforth.
KWONG YUEN,
Manager Hip Lung Co.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 14th, 1887. fe15

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO THANK R. H. Hall, Agent for the London, Liverpool and Globe, and Allsop & Mason, Agents for North British and Mercantile, for their prompt settlement of his claims.
fe12-2w PHIL. R. SMITH.

NOTICE.

Estate of John Whitfield, Nanaimo.

A FOURTH AND FINAL DIVIDEND, WITH a discharge to Insolvent, of the above Estate, will be paid on or about the 1st day of March, 1887.

All claims against the Estate not sent in to the undersigned by that time will not be recognized thereafter.
A. COWAN.
By his Attorney,
Victoria, B. C., M. H. COWAN,
Jan. 26th, 1887. ja27-1m Assignee.

NOTICE.

Hardware Stock and Business for Sale.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to 12 o'clock, noon, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2nd, for the Stock and Good Will of the business of the late A. B. Francis, situate on the corner of Store and Johnson Sts., Victoria.

The stock comprises a miscellaneous assortment of Staple and Fancy Hardware, Crockery and Glassware, and offers a rare opportunity of obtaining a desirable stock and business. Tenders to be addressed to Mr. James Burns, Langley street; and the Stock List and Goods will be on view in the above store each day, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m., from the 23rd instant to the 1st of March.

TERMS—Half cash, with satisfactory security for balance, payable in three months. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
C. B. FRANCIS.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 22nd, 1887. fe23-1w

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE HAVE this day purchased the Coal, Wood and Lumber business carried on under the name of "The Victoria Coal, Wood and Lumber Yard," by Messrs. Harrison & McLachlan, of this city, and that all liabilities in connection with the same will be paid by us, and all accounts due the late firm must be paid forthwith, at our office, Government Street, next the Bank of British Columbia. The business will be continued as usual, and we respectfully solicit a continuance of the public patronage.
CROFT & ANGUS.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 17, 1887. fe18-6t

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership which has for some time past been carried on by us under the firm name of "The Victoria Coal, Wood and Lumber Yard," was this day dissolved by mutual consent.
J. STUART YATES, H. A. HARRISON.
Witness, C. MCLACHLAN.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 17, 1887. fe18-6t

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE FIRM DOING BUSINESS IN THE name of COONESS & WHITE has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by J. E. WHITE, and all outstanding debts due the late firm will be paid him.
Witnesses, J. BROWN. N. POINTER.
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NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

E. G. PRIOR HAVING SOLD A SHARE in his Iron and Hardware business to G. F. Mathews, the firm will henceforth be carried on under the firm name of E. G. PRIOR & CO.
Victoria, Feb. 1st, 1887. fe2

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP BUSINESS HERETOFORE carried on by Leahy & Horth is dissolved. All accounts owing the firm and all accounts against the firm will be sent to Messrs. Yates & Jay for settlement. Mr. Leahy will carry on the business at Victoria on his own responsibility. JOHN LEAHY.
Victoria, Feb. 17th, 1887. fe18



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MUNICIPAL BY-LAWS.

NO. 140.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the Year 1887.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Finance Committee of the said Council to arrange for and obtain a credit by way of overdraft upon current account with the Bank of British North America, to an amount not exceeding in the whole the sum of $30,000, including the now existing overdraft, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum.

2. All moneys so overdrawn shall be used for the ordinary current expenditure of the said Corporation, and shall be repaid to the said Bank on or before the thirty-first day of December, 1887, out of the municipal revenue of the said Corporation for the current year.

3. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit By-Law, 1887."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of February, A. D. 1887.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 16th day of February, A. D. 1887.

[L. S.] JAMES FELL, Mayor.
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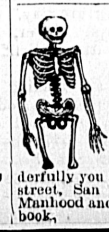
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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, INTEND MAKing application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for timbering purposes 660 acres of land situated in the District of New Westminster, near Seechelt Inlet, and described as follows:—
Commencing at the south-west corner of our lease No. 4; thence south 60 chains; thence east 110 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west to place of beginning.
MOODYVILLE SAWMILL CO., Ld.
B. SPRINGER, Manager.
Burrard Inlet, B. C.,
14th January, 1887. jan16 2m

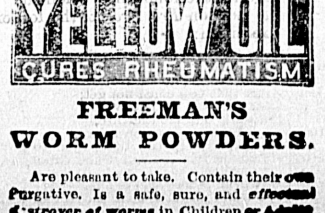
NOTICE—I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT thirty days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, to establish a road, commencing at the west end of the gazetted road, between sections 3 and 4 Highland District; then running in a northerly direction about 9 chains; then a little south of west 30 chains on section 11, to line between sections 10 and 11; then about 8 chains on section 10; then a little north of west on section 11 to west end of said section, and being 20 feet on each side of the centre of the present road known as Pike's road.
Also, a branch road 20 feet wide and one-half chain in length, 18 chains west of post at corner of sections 3 and 4, 10 and 11, between said road and line of sections 10 and 11.
JOHN H. SCAFE.
Dated January 15th, 1887. jan16 1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend making application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Lots 29 and 30, Group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District. The land is situated on the west shore of Osoyoos Lake above the Narrows, in Township 19.
TH. KRUGER.
January 5th, 1887. ja9

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase two hundred and forty acres on Thetis Island, Cowichan District, commencing at a post on coast half a mile North from Crescent Point, thence 20 chains East, 80 chains North, 40 chains West, and thence south along coast to point of commencement.
HENRY SEVERNE,
jan9 Thetis Island

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to prospect for coal over (1920) nineteen hundred and twenty acres of land in Kootenay District, starting at a point west of Marten Creek, about 60 chains north of the S. W. Fork of said Creek; thence S. 120 chains; thence E. 160 chains; thence N. 120 chains; thence W. 160 chains to initial point.
W. FERNIE,
E. BRAY,
F. W. AYLMER,
J. E. HUMPHREYS.
Victoria, Jan. 14th, 1887. jan16 2m

NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES Notice that application has been made to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase four Islands containing about eight acres, situated North and East of Osborn Bay, Chemainus district.
SAMUEL GIBBS.
January 20th. ja21-2mo



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WORM POWDERS.
Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual Destroyer of worms in Children or Adults

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE reserve which was placed upon Tumbo Island has been cancelled, and that the island will be open to purchase three months from date hereof.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B. C., 9th Dec., 1886. de10-3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

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ARE THE BEST MADE.
ASK FOR THEM IN CANS, BOTTLES OR PACKAGES
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MANUFACTURE COFFEES, SPICES, Mustards, and the Pioneer Baking Powder
STEMLER & EARLE, Props.
Orders from any part of the Dominion prompt.

The Colonist.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1887.

SHIPPING.

ENTERED.

Feb. 23.—Str North Pacific, Pt Townsend.
Str. Princess Louise, Burrard Inlet.

CLEARED.

Feb. 23.—Str North Pacific, Port Townsend.
Str Princess Louise, Burrard Inlet.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC fm Port Townsend—Miss Eva Davis, W Schriner, T J Monahan, Thompson, J Roper, W Baker, J McGeiger, J Pierrick, C F Anderson, W Work, Geo Campbell, Mrs Ferguson, J S Taber, T G Murphy, W Fairborn, W S Allen, B Forest, W Thornton.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE fm Burrard Inlet—T Shore, R Patterson, J Patterson, A Damm, Mrs Honor and children, D Fulton, Miss Edington, A T D McElmen, J Pelch, W E McIntosh, E Coughtrey, J Abrams, B H Ross, H B Wilson, D Cartnell, J H Innes, W Harkin, P Frederick, W C Bell, Mrs Gold, T Bush, C Symonds.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC fm Port Townsend—G L Simpson, Geo Powell & Co, J Vair, Neufelder & Ross, Redon & H, S J Pitts, S Loiser, Van Volkenburg, W Prothers.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE OCCIDENTAL—W Wilson, H Kent, C Harvey, Nanaimo; W Hunter, Port Elgin; F Sessions, Vancouver; Mrs Bates and child, Halifax.

LETTERS DETAINED FOR POSTAGE.

February 23rd, 1887.

Julius Schultz, Seattle.
Wm. McDonald, Stermon, Maine.
R Offerhaus, City.
E N Muir, City.

CALL and have a talk with FISHER, the ARCHITECT, before you order plans. *

REMEMBER M. W. Waitt & Co. are agents for the celebrated Taylor Fire-Proof Safes. †

FINE BREAKFAST RELISH. — Finman Haddies just received by express at H Saunders, Johnson street. *

GREAT SALE of overcoats at A. Gilmore's. They must be sold; we do not intend to carry them over. *

A LARGE stock of new style Carpets, Hearth Rugs and artistic Wallpapers just received at JOHN WEILER'S. Call at once and get first choice. †

T. THOMPSON, practical gun-maker, has removed to 37 Johnson street. Guns, pistols, sporting material, etc. All kinds of repairing done and warranted. 1m

LANGLEY & Co., Yates street, Victoria, B. C., sole agents for B. C., of Dr. J. W. Treat's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. To insure satisfaction use no other. *

THE highest cash prices paid for ladies' and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note—Present address, S. Cooness, at T. W. Pierre's, Yates street. *1m

NEW ENGLAND BAKERY.—Bread, cakes, pies and pastry of all kinds, fresh oysters by the bottle or sack, promptly delivered to all parts of the city. YOUNG BROS., Government street. †

DR. A. C. WEST, Dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings' photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work are invited to call. *1m

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BOOTS
AT H. MANSELL'S, Opposite the Post Office. *

The new Beaver Trimmings,
The New Braid Panels and Dress Sets,
The New Braided Plush Trimmings,
The New Silk Braid Ruches,
New Trimmings for Mantles and Dresses in all the latest styles at the CITY HOUSE.

BUTTER.

Hamilton Creamery,
Ingersoll Dairy,
California Grass,
Fresh Island,
1m At H. SAUNDERS, Jonson Street.

New and Second-Hand

CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous and Cast-off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to N. POINTER, Johnson st., near Broad.*

Programmes and Wedding Stationery
At the B. C. Stationery Co., next door to the Post Office.

Valentines Given Away Almost
At the B. C. Stationery Co., next door to the Post Office.

Pianos and Organs
At greatly Reduced Prices to clear out the Stock, at the B. C. Stationery Co., next door to the Post Office.

New School Books.
Public School History of England and Canada, by Adam & Robertson.
Chemistry, by Kirkland.
Manuel of Hygiene, by Provincial Board of Health, Ontario.
Physical Culture, being first book of exercises in drill, calisthenics and gymnastics, by E. B. Houghton.
Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene, by E. Plater, is reprinting, and will be issued in a few days. ROBERT JAMIESON,
* Bookseller and Stationer.

What True Merit Will Do.
The unprecedented sale of *Boschee's German Syrup* within a few years has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung troubles. It acts on an entirely different principle from the usual prescriptions given by physicians, as it does not dry up the cough and leave the disease still in the system, but on the contrary removes the *cause* of the trouble, heals the parts affected, and leaves them in a purely healthy condition. A bottle kept in the house for use when the diseases make their appearance, will save doctors' bills and a long spell of serious illness. A trial will convince you of these facts. It is positively sold by all druggists and general dealers in the land. Price 75 cents, large bottles dly

Among the Indians.
"While my husband was trading in furs he came across an Indian who was taken to his lodge to die. He had inward pains and pains in all his limbs. He gave some Yellow Oil internally and applied it externally, and cured him. It also cured my husband of rheumatism, and I find it valuable for coughs and colds, sore throat, etc." Mrs. A. Besaw, Cook's Mills, Serpent River, Ont. tu-th-sat-dw.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child' softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. ap9-eod-dw

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catharine Scott will take place from the residence, Toronto street, James bay, to-day at 2 o'clock p.m.

Journalistic.

The old Quebec *Daily Mercury* comes to us in an enlarged and improved form, thus giving evidence of renewed vitality in the hands of Mr. W. J. Maguire, its youthful editor and publisher.

Floating in the Straits.

The lighthouse keeper at Cape Beale reports to Capt. Lewis, agent of marine department, large quantities of new planking washed ashore, marked "P. M. Co." It is either from a wreck or from the deckload of some vessel.

Chicken Thief.

Officer Carter arrested a Chinaman named Oh Jack yesterday afternoon, who had in his possession a bag containing several chickens. As Jack is an old offender the police magistrate will probably not spare him unless he came by the chickens in a lawful manner.

Rib Broken.

The many friends of Capt. Tom Harmon will regret to learn that he was the victim of an unprovoked assault last night and had one of his ribs broken. Dr. Renwick was in attendance and announces that his patient will be about again in a few days. We learn that his assailant was not arrested. Why?

Accident.

A gentleman while crossing James Bay bridge on Tuesday night fell through the hole at the south end, and only escaped death by fortunately falling on the soft mud beneath the structure. He with difficulty gained solid ground and with the exception of a severe shaking up was uninjured.

Notification.

Mr. Geo. Hargreaves will be notified to day of his appointment as superintendent of construction on the new reservoirs, and be requested to prepare plans and specifications at once. The appointment is a good one and the work will no doubt be completed satisfactorily under Mr. Hargreaves supervision.

The Beautiful Snow.

The "unusual weather" seems to be making the best of its visit to this island. Yesterday was very disagreeable, as snow fell at intervals, with an occasional shower of rain. The moon changed on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock, and as the state of the weather has not changed so far the theory that we are to have a continuance of cold may be accepted.

The Collision.

The highly sensational telegram which was received from New Westminster concerning the collision between the Yosemite and Adelaide is denied in part by the officials of the former steamer, who say that there was not $10 worth of damage done. The Adelaide was running as usual yesterday. The Yosemite arrived here at 1:30 o'clock p.m. yesterday.

Presentation at North Bend.

Mrs. Stamford, wife of Mr. J. Stamford, C.P.R. foreman carpenter, who built the Glacier Hotel, and is now engaged upon the dining hall and hotel at North Bend, was presented on Wednesday evening last with a diamond ring by the men working under her husband, as a token of their respect and esteem since they have been in the mountains.

A Disappointment.

The usual crowd of unemployed individuals who take in the police court proceedings were greatly disappointed yesterday morning when it was announced that there were no cases registered on the journals of the court. One old loafer was heard to remark, "Well! I niver seed sich a dog-gasted town as this is! Why, where I come from back east, yer wuddn't be able fer to git near the dur of this kincern let alone get inside, after 'lection day."

The Arcade.

Having just received per C. P. R. a large lot of manufacturers' samples of gloves, hosiery, ladies' and gents' merino and silk underwear, which will take some time to mark off, the remnant sale announced for Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade, will commence on Thursday next. The above samples were bought at ridiculously low prices and will be sold with the remnants at prices that will make a speedy clearance. *

Muirhead & Carter's Failure.

The above firm, which has judgments against it for a large total, and whose effects are now in charge of the sheriff, yesterday made application before Justice Walkem for $1000 from the assets under the "Homestead Act." This was opposed by Mr. S. Perry Mills, who represents several creditors, and by Mr. Taylor (Eberts & Taylor) for Boucherat & Co. The hearing was adjourned until to-day, when it will be continued.

Commendable.

The police are doing all in their power to break up a gang of Chinese thieves who have been until lately operating on hen-roosts, both in the city and districts. As soon as they are caught they are "vagged," and if warrantable are imprisoned for two or three months. This step taken by the police is one to be commended, as these heathens, who are no respecter of persons, can do no good at large.

Unsond Mind.

Alfred Adams, a young mechanic, aged 27 years, was taken into custody yesterday and charged with being of unsound mind. His condition is attributed to religious mania and from his talk it would seem that he is persecuted by certain people who he says have driven several members of his family to death. There seems to be no doubt that his brain is considerably unsettled, but as he is perfectly harmless the authorities will probably deliver him up to the care of his wife.

Funeral of Mr. J. G. Pimbury.

The funeral of the late John G. Pimbury, eldest son of the late Samuel C. Pimbury, of Stroud, England, took place yesterday from the family residence, Quamichan, in the presence of a large number of sympathizing friends. The pall bearers were Hy. Frye, J. Drinkwater, W. P. Jaynes, W. H. Lomas, Hy. Marriner, J. Boal. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Mr. Chas. Hayward of this city, one of whose hearses was forwarded there by rail.

As an incident of the campaign, we reproduce the following "valentine" sent by the London *Free Press* to the leader of the opposition:

Dear Edward, do not vex thy soul
O'er matters thou canst not control,
Do not worry, do not fret
After that you canst not get;
Learn to labor and to wait
Patiently outside the gate,
And if thou will cease to cry,
We promise to call upon thee to govern this country in the vague and vapory sweet bye-and-bye.
However if the 22nd is fine,
We won't forget to send thee a valentine.

The Wires.

The Western Union wires went down last night.

Vancouver.

A number of Chinese left for Vancouver this morning. The first train arrived in Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Chisholm's Election Sure.

The *Guardian* says: The canvass by Messrs. Chisholm and Trapp continues with unabated determination. Mr. Chisholm is everywhere received with enthusiasm and it is now well understood that he will carry the district by at least three to one over his opponent.

James Bay Bridge.

Residents of James Bay complain that the bridge is in such a condition that it is about impassable. Ladies have to climb a fence in order to get on to the bridge, and several have had their dresses injured in doing so. If the bridge is to be kept open for foot passengers, and it certainly should be, the city authorities ought to insist on its being placed in a safe and passable condition.

A Bad Memory.

British Columbian: The Victoria *Times* published an article recently, "From Cradle to Grave." Strange to relate, it forgot to give credit to an eastern journal for the production. In Saturday's editorial column there appeared another paragraph, "Louise and Lorne," and stranger still it omitted to give credit for this to the Toronto *Telegram*. The *Times* must have a bad memory.

Theatrical.

Another new programme at the Concordia to-night, opening with one of the popular Billy Gilbert's laughable farces, followed by an olio, comprising the great genius, Billy De Ome, with his faithful dog "Tosh." Miss Minnie Granger, Mulligan and Kidd, in one of their unexcelled Irish specialties in which they have no equal, and the great attraction, the only one-legged acrobats, Barnes and Frazer, in their wonderful feats. They will appear this week only. *

"The Royal City."

That is to be the name of a new steamship to be owned and controlled by our citizens, says the *Guardian*. Nine or ten who believe in the future of New Westminster have talked the matter over and the whole affair will be settled in a few days. The ship will be a powerful, fast sailer, and will make a trip to Victoria every day. It is also the intention of the boat owners to establish, in a convenient place by the river, a public market where farm produce of all kinds may be offered for sale. It is quite certain that our citizens will, in a very little while, have a boat of their own, a greyhound of the gulf, fast enough to go and return to Victoria every day. And there is another project under consideration—and that is another boat of our own that will carry freight and passengers to Tacoma, and from that port to this twice a week. These boats will bring us trade and afford great facilties to the rapidly increasing population on both sides of the Fraser.

The Late Christopher Lee.

The late Christopher Lee, says the *British Columbian*, was born at Grassington, Yorkshire county, England, in the year 1819. When ten years of age he came to America with his father and settled in Brownsville, Pa., in which place he was apprenticed as a machinist in the "Showdrius" iron works. After having learned his trade he removed to Pittsburgh, where he held the position of foreman of a machine shop. In 1850 he traveled overland to California and entered the employ of the Southern Navigation company as an engineer, in which capacity he remained until 1868, when he emigrated to this province and became engaged as chief engineer on one of the Fraser river steamers. In 1859, in company with the late Capt. Irving, he made the first successful trip by steamer to Yale, on the steamer Governor Douglas. In 1860 he took up his residence in this city, where he remained until his death. During his residence here he has acted as an engineer on all the river steamers of any note, and was first engineer on the government snagboat. At the same time he made many friends both in the city and district, who deeply mourn his demise. He leaves a widow and daughter to lament his death. He was buried in the Masonic cemetery on Sunday last, many following the remains to the grave.

WHAT SOME PEOPLE SAY.

THAT IF YOU NEED MONEY try the Victoria Loan Office, 44 Johnson street. Advances on jewelry, guns, etc. 6m

That Emperor William is very ill from bladder troubles and is not expected to live long.

That the grits were whistling yesterday to keep their courage up. They will have a sad awakening this morning.

That A. Gregg & Son, Artist Tailors, have moved to Yates street opposite Langley street. They have just opened out the choicest lot of imported woollens in the city. tf*

That the election in North Antrim, to fill the parliamentary vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. McNaughton, conservative, resulted in the return of Mr. C. E. Lewis who polled 2,858 votes, against 2,626 obtained by Mr. McElroy, home rule, and 424 by Mr. Traill, liberal-unionist.

That there is nothing so elegant or in as good taste for a Xmas present as—your photograph. Pictures taken equally well in any kind of weather. Hall & Lowe, Photographers. *

That Mr. John Connor, a St. John, N. B., convert to the liberal ranks, and a prominent Irish Catholic, said in the course of a speech during the campaign, "that the policy of the liberal-conservative administration showed it to be the true liberal party of Canada, and pointed out that one of Blake's latest "liberal" acts was the calling of a gentleman well known in the constituency—Hon. T. W. Anglin—to his side and telling him to go and win North Simcoe, a constituency held for years by the liberal-conservative party and one in which Dalton McCarthy is sure to be elected by a large majority—or else Mr. Blake would never have Mr. Anglin contest it." Mr. Anglin, who is a true liberal, an able man, and a poor, though hard-working journalist, might, one would think, have been secured a safe seat. No difficulty was found in making Sir Richard Cartwright's election sure. But then, "Sir" Richard has a purse.

MARINE.

Tug Alexander arrived in the harbor late last night from Departure Bay.

It is stated that Capt. Meyer, who bought the bark Von Moltke, will fit her up as a whaler.

The following vessels are loading coal at Departure Bay. Bohemia, Commodore, Don Nicholas and Thomas M. Reed.

The ship Fannie Tucker, 1547 tons register, has been engaged in San Francisco by John Rosenfelt to load coal for the Bay city in Nanaimo.

SHIPWRECKED AND LOST.

An Unknown Bark Wrecked on the West Coast.

Indians Bring the News—Out of a Crew of Twenty, Twelve are Drowned—The Remainder Among the Indians—Why is Assistance not at Once Sent?

Some Indians who arrived from the West Coast bring the intelligence that a large bark in ballast has been wrecked near Clayoquot Sound and out of the crew of twenty men,

TWELVE ARE DROWNED.

The remaining eight were taken care of by the Indians, and are now among them. The Indians were yesterday interviewed by Capt. Lewis of the marine department, and the above is all the information elicited. It is understood that Hesquiat Indians are now on the way in canoes with advices from the priest at that point, and some of the men may probably accompany the party. The name of the wrecked vessel is not learned.

Capt. Lewis telegraphed last night to Ottawa to know if he should forward the revenue steamer Sir James Douglas to the scene to relieve the eight shipwrecked sailors.

While this latter action on Capt. Lewis' part may be rendered necessary by red tape, yet in a case of emergency where sailors have been shipwrecked and cast on a sparsely inhabited coast without food or clothing, it is nothing but right that the agent should exercise discretionary powers. On receipt of reliable news of a disaster such as the present there should be no question about the steamer being forwarded. Common humanity dictates that it should be done at once, and the agent would have the support of everyone in his action.

THE "CHESTNUT" COMBINATION

Give Their Second Performance Before a Large Audience.

Capt. McCallum, the Liberal candidate, and his combination drew well at The Victoria last night. The exceedingly interesting performance given by them a short time ago did not fail to have its effect upon the public and has assured them good houses during the season.

Dr. Milne having been voted into the chair called the meeting to order. After making a few preliminary remarks he read a telegram from W. R. Preston, secretary of the reform association, Toronto, stating that the vote stood 105 for the opposition against 99 for the government. (Cheers.) He then introduced Capt. McCallum the liberal candidate.

Mr. McCallum on coming forward was received with loud cheers. He said he would appeal to patriotism rather than to party. The question was not so much which party shall rule, but who will give us good and righteous government. (Cheers.) When sitting on this platform at the last meeting and hearing the speeches of his very much esteemed friends Messrs. Fell, Humphries and Robertson, he had concluded that even if these gentlemen were elected on the conservative platform it would not be very long before we should find them joining the liberal party by the back stairs. (Laughter.) As for himself he preferred to go by the front way or not go at all. (Cheers.) Referring to the Canadian Pacific Railway he claimed that the people had paid for it three times over and did not own it after all. Cases were cited of friends of the government, both inside and outside the house, having drawn large sums of money from the treasury and having received large grants of land at half the price charged to actual settlers. If such a thing were permitted to continue the results would be visited upon our childrens' children to the third and fourth generation. (Cheers.) The position of Ireland to-day was the result of a state of things begun at its conquest by Cromwell. After other remarks the speaker concluded, and was loudly applauded.

Mr. McNab Stuart then came forward. He eulogized the liberal candidate as a gentleman who for many years had been the champion of the laboring man's cause. He was a liberal, a thorough liberal. He was not like the gentleman who had spoken here at last meeting, who was not an English conservative but an English radical and a Canadian conservative, in fact, a liberal-conservative. The speaker here made a low reference which was received with hisses and uproar. It is unfit for publication. Willis Bond, who was in one of the boxes, stood up and shook his fist at the speaker while the audience cheered.

Order having been restored the speaker proceeded to defame the record of Sir John, and concluding with an appeal to workingmen to stand by Capt. McCallum and the liberal party, retired in disorder.

Mr. McLagan, of the *Times*, was the next speaker. In his usual wordy and windy way he dealt out stale platitudes for a long time and made the usual annual exhibition of himself. He endeavored in a most disjointed way to show up the "boodle brigade" with whose tactics he has long been familiar, and made Mr. Shakespeare the text of his subsequent remarks. It was a miserable effort—a mere reproduction of the versatile manager's editorials.

An old gentleman here created great amusement by his posings on the stage and his announcement that he had lived in Victoria for 25 years and had much pleasure in appearing on the stage for the first time.

Mr. Bodwell was well received. He referred to the many exaggerated statements and calculations of Sir Charles Tupper in connection with Canadian Pacific railway scheme and to the troubles in the Northwest and their causes. The government in three weeks had adjusted what for six years they had been appealed in vain to do before the rebellion broke out.

Mr. McClymont in coming forward was well received. This speaker is a non-voter, is an American citizen, and advanced some vague and confused ideas on tariff matters and taxation; and also wandered a little into socialism. The audience soon got tired, and Mr. McC. spoke frequently amid the rattle of heels on the floor and cries of time. The question, "Have you got a vote?" was unanswered.

Mr. Stenhouse was announced as the last speaker, amid calls for "Burns." Mr. S. commenced his parrot-talk by saying "Gentlemen of industry," and after a few jerky sentences concluded. This was the last amusement afforded the audience.

Mr. McLagan proposed three cheers for the Queen, which were given, and as the audience were leaving tried to work cheers for Blake and McCallum, but the effort was unsuccessful.

PERSONAL.

J. H. Innes and D. Cartmel, Esquimalt, and J. H. Ross, editor of the Vancouver *News*, came down on the Louise last night.

H. G. Hall went up to the mainland on this morning's steamer.

Arthur Todd, Cowichan, was in the city yesterday and will return to-day.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the city council was held in the city hall last evening.

Present—His Worship Mayor Fell, and Couns. Grant, Styles, Harris, Braden, Pearse, Higgins, Vigelius, Coughlan and Barnard.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. Pickering asking permission to place before the council enamelled letters to be used for naming the streets. Approved.

From five residents asking that a fire hydrant be placed at the corner of Government and Chatham streets. Approved.

From — Hursey proposing to place a filter at Elk Lake. Referred to water works committee.

From Drake, Jackson and Helmcken asking if the council intended paying Cohen the printer's account of $160. Referred to printing committee.

Coun. Vigelius said that Cohen's bill was an overcharge and that $125 was what should have been paid.

Coun. Coughlan wanted to know who did the work last year and who made arrangements for the work.

His Worship said that he told the officers that they were to get the work done at the same price as it was done last year.

Coun. Braden thought that it was a very loose way of doing business.

Councillor Pearse said that occurrences of that character would not happen again as arrangements had already been made.

From Chief Phillips, recommending that an investigation be held in order that the names of all persons absent from fires be ascertained, that a horse and hose-cart be purchased, and that a permanent driver be appointed.

From H. L. Salmon, asking for an investigation into the cause of his suspension from the fire department.

Report received, and recommendation and letter referred to fire wardens.

MOTIONS.

Councillor Braden moved that day work be discontinued on the reservoirs.

The mover said that the reason he had introduced such a resolution into the council was to stop the leak in the city revenue. He thought plans and specifications should be prepared. The work could not be done by the day as cheaply as by contract.

The resolution was seconded by Councillor Coughlan.

Councillor Pearse was of the opinion that the motion looked like a want of confidence in the committee in charge. He thought that Mr. Hendry should be kept on and the amount of rock and earth measured by him. He saw no objection, however, to calling for tenders.

Councillor Braden asked if Councillor Pearse knew that the work was costing $1.20 per yard. He did not want to say too much, but if he would go and find out for himself the amount of money already expended on that work, and what work had been done, that Councillor would not say much then.

Councillor Higgins wanted to know what amount of money had already been paid out.

Coun. Grant said he thought the amount did not exceed $6,000.

Coun. Barnard moved in amendment that the matter be deferred for one week. Seconded by Coun. Vigelius.

Coun. Styles always was in favor of plans and specifications being prepared. For some reason, best known to Mayor Fell, the gentleman (Mr. Hargraves) who was appointed by the former council, had never been notified of his appointment.

The amendment was then put and lost.

The original resolution was then put and carried: five voting for and four against.

AUDITORS.

The motion of Coun. Pearse that a permanent auditor be appointed was laid over.

Coun. Braden then moved that two auditors be appointed for auditing the public accounts. He said that there had not been an audit since 1879.

The resolution was seconded by Coun. Pearse and carried.

Coun. Grant wanted to know what the employment of the auditors was going to cost.

Coun. Barnard failed to see the object of appointing two auditors. Couns. Braden and Pearse did not know what they were driving at.

Coun. Higgins said the remarks of the two previous gentlemen left him with the impression that they did not want an audit. He did not think that merely asking for an audit was casting an imputation on the honesty of the accountant. He thought as there had been no general audit since 1879 there should be one as soon as possible.

Coun. Coughlan was of the same opinion.

Coun. Vigelius said it seemed to him that some of the councillors had doubts about the persons who had been councillors since 1879 and thought the council had a perfect right to spend money on regattas, etc.

Coun. Grant wanted to know what it was going to cost. He was not going to be a party to spend the public money without knowing what it was being spent for.

Coun. Higgins asked the chairman of the finance committee whether it was not decided to have two auditors appointed by that committee. He would like to hear the resolution read.

Coun. Braden said that the appointing of two auditors would be better, as the work would be sooner completed.

Coun. Higgins would like to hear, before he voted on the resolution, if the mover wanted the council or finance committee to appoint the auditors.

Coun. Braden—The council, your worship.

The resolution was carried on the following division:

Yeas—Couns. Harris, Braden, Pearse, Higgins and Coughlan.

Nays—Couns. Grant, Styles, Vigelius and Barnard.

JAMES BAY BRIDGE.

A letter from P. J. McDonald was then read, in which he asked for an extension of time for completing James Bay bridge. Deferred.

STREET COMMITTEE REPORT.

The street committee recommended with reference to the application of H. McDonald, contractor for the new bridge, for extension of time, that the application be granted on the condition that the said contractor furnish good sureties for the completion of the said contract within the date specified in his communication, and that he agreed to keep the present bridge open for passengers, pending the completion of the new structure.

Coun. Barnard thought that the council should be careful in dealing with this matter, and not lay themselves open to any blame in case of accidents.

Coun. Higgins said that the committee had no objection to allowing the contractor an extension of time. The bridge was to have been completed on the 1st March, and he would like to draw the attention of the council to the fact that the contractor was not under bonds, legal authority having decided so. As the contractor was not under bonds he should pay the $250 for keeping the bridge open.

Coun. Braden favored the idea of closing the bridge for a few weeks rather than run any risks.

Coun. Pearse thought Coun. Higgins was a little out with regard to the bonds, as the city barrister had decided that the bondsmen are legally bound.

Coun. Higgins said he had seen written authority from a leading barrister that the bondsmen were not liable.

Coun. Coughlan moved in amendment that the resolution be referred back to the committee with power to act. The amendment was carried.

STREETS.

Coun. Styles then read a list of the amount of money spent on the streets during the past year.

WATER WORKS REPORT.

Your water works committee beg most respectfully to report that they have had several interviews with Mr. Turner, of Turner, Beeton & Co. with reference to their tenders for the supply of 660 tons of water pipes. Mr. Turner refused to carry out the contract at the figures named in tender of 24th Nov. last; but submitted an offer based upon a new specification of weights, which offer is much higher than the original tender. Welch, Rithet & Co. being the next lowest tender, your committee offered the contract to them provided they would take it at the figure named in their original tender, viz., $31.15 per ton. They have agreed to supply the pipes at those figures, but the weights of pipes to be as follows: 6-inch, 266 pounds; 5-inch, 210 pounds.

Report adopted. W. R. & Co., to be notified that the tender was accepted.

SANITARY REPORT.

The committee reported that the charges against the sanitary officer were fully sustained, and recommended that the bribers be prosecuted. Report adopted.

Coun. Braden moved, seconded by Coun. Barnard, that Mr. Hargreaves be notified of his appointment as superintendent of construction of the reservoirs.

The Mayor was decidedly unfavorable to any such motion being made.

A very ludicrous discussion occurred between his Worship and Coun. Braden, the former saying that he washed his hands of the whole matter.

The motion was put and carried, and the council adjourned at 10.30.

A WOLF IN SHEEP'S CLOTHING.

TO THE EDITOR:—Last night Mr. McN. Stuart endeavored to convince the audience in The Victoria that the grit party were the bosom friends of the workingmen, and they were so anxious for their success that the grit candidates gave way for the working men, forgetting to tell the audience that Toronto, being overwhelmingly conservative in Dominion politics that they made no sacrifice, while in the provincial elections, both in Ontario and Quebec, where the working men had an opportunity, the grit party were the most bitter foes the working men had to meet. The cause of the working man will not be strengthened by such one-sided party statements. ONE OF THE AUDIENCE.

THE CHINESE.

TO THE EDITOR:—It may not be inopportune in view of the unjustifiable and still unpunished outrages perpetrated in violation of law and order on a white man and his workmen at Vancouver, to contrast such proceedings with what the unchristian government of China is now doing for the protection of foreigners in that country.

Recently the governors in nearly all the provinces of China have issued proclamations, of which that issued by Kung, the governor of the district in which Shanghai is situated is a fair sample. It begins by setting forth the imperial decree ordering that missionaries and chapels were to be sedulously protected, and everything in the shape of disturbances prevented. The remainder of the document will be best understood from its precise words; the language bears the stamp of sincerity, and the earnest warnings given to the people cannot fail to exercise a profound effect on their minds:

"I have accordingly ordered all officials in every jurisdiction to act in strict compliance with the Imperial will, and it is now my duty to issue this urgent proclamation for the information of all persons in the circuit for which I am Intendent. Bear in mind that when missionaries live in the midst of your villages you and they are mutually in the relationship of host and guest. Under ordinary circumstances it is your foremost duty to act towards them with courtesy and forbearance. Should there arise any misunderstanding requiring to be set right, let each submit his side to the local authorities for equitable arbitration and decision; your officials have the necessary power and influence. You must be careful on no account to give rein to ill-considered resentment, and fall, owing to the impulse of a moment, into the net of the law. I have over twenty years' experience of the coast as an official, and am thoroughly conversant with international business, with which I have long been specially occupied. I am not one afraid to do my duty though it may be troublesome, and what I say to you in this proclamation is uttered in all earnestness. More is involved than the mere protecting of missionary chapels, the weal and woe of yourselves, your homes, and your livelihood are assuredly concerned. Let such of you as are fathers and brothers do your utmost towards turning away wrath and putting an end to strife. Cast your eyes over on the warning example which has preceded, and avoid a day of repentance in the future. This is my earnest wish. Do not disobey this urgent and special proclamation."

The sentiments expressed in the foregoing extract are not unworthy of imitation by other governments and other people. W. J. McD.

SENATOR NELSON

Appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Province.

Telegrams received at this office yesterday announced the appointment of Hon. Hugh Nelson to the lieutenant-governorship of the province, in the room of the Hon. Clement F. Cornwall, whose term of office has expired. Such a nomination has, it is understood, been contemplated for a long time, and will, we believe, be received by the people with much pleasure.

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